GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Agriculture & Cooperation Department – MSP/ MIS Operations – Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for Village level Maize / Jowar /Pulses / Oilseeds procurement operations – Orders - Issued.

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AGRICULTURE & COOPERATION (MKTG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 307 Dated: 14-04-2020

Read the following:-

1. G.O.MS No.27, A&C (Mktg.II) Department, dated 09.01.2020.
2. G.O.Rt.No.157, A&C (Mktg.II) Department, Date:19.02.2020
3. G.O.Rt.No.642, G.A.(Cabinet) Department, Dated.27.03.2020
4. G.O.Rt.No.295 A&C (Mktg.II) Department, Dated:03.04.2020.
5. G.O.Ms.No.52, A&C (Mktg.II) Department, Dated:03.04.2020.
6. G.O.Rt.No.304, Agri.& Coop. (MKTG-II) Dept., dated:07.04.2020.

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ORDER:

In the references 1st to 4th read above. Govt. have been issued certain guidelines / instructions for Minimum Support Price (MSP) / Procurement operations of Maize, Jowar, Pulses and Oilseeds etc.

2. In the reference 6th read above, Government have also issued the consolidated guidelines on the measures to be taken for contain of COVID-19 Epidemic in the State.

3. The issue has been further discussed in the Group of Ministers constituted in the G.O. 3rd read above and the Government have examined the recommendations of Group of Ministers and issue further following Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) guidelines in connection with the village level procurement operations of Maize / Jowar /Pulses / Oilseeds etc:-

1. Village Agriculture Assistants to register all maize farmers who are willing to sell their produce at their respective Village Secretariat along with quantity of produce. They should also liase with and assist the decentralised procuring agencies when there is a Village level procurement in procurement related operations.

2. Procurement should be done only if the crop is registered in e-panta.

3. If the crop is not registered in e-Panta, the MAO to certify the produce and genuinity of its production in the village by the concerned farmer. After that the Village Agriculture Assistant will register in e-panta.

4. If there is production of 85MTS and above in the village, as far as possible, the procurement should be done at the village level, otherwise 2 to 3 villages will be clubbed for procurement.

5. Payment to the farmers should be done online.

6. At each procurement center, the procurement should commence with small and marginal farmers to enable the farmers with small stocks to complete their procurement process.

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4. The Special Commissioner of Agricultural Marketing, the Special Commissioner of Agriculture, the Commissioner of Horticulture, the Managing Director, A.P. MARKFED, A.P. Vijayawada, the VC & Managing Director, AP Oilfed shall take further necessary action, accordingly, in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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SPECIAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMET

To
The Special Commissioner and Director of Agricultural Marketing, A.P., Guntur.
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The VC & Managing Director, AP Oilfed, Vijayawada.
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